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EDITORIAL OFFICES

Tuesday afternoon.

Dear Harold:

Your story ideas proved very interesting to my editors, although there are a great number of things we can't handle right now for various and obvious reasons.

However, we are interested in two stories from you--first, Hitler's official map for conquest; and secondly, the Bata story.

Re: Hitler.....let me know if you can get the map, also what kind of text block can go with it.

Re: Bata.....although the "location angle"is a good one, we are unable to use it because it would be difficult to prove that Bata was the Fifth Column here for Hitler, also that his factory is a military base. However, I'd suggest that you send me an outline regarding a complete Bata story--from beginning to end--and if it gets my boss's okay, then you will get the assignment. In this way you won't have to write on speculation. In your outline, you might mention what pictures could accompany the article, also what documents we might be able to photostat.

Your other ideas are far from dead.....we will keep them on file, and if there's anything we can have you write for us, believe me I'll contact you immediately.

Let me hear from you soon on the two stories.

Best personal regards,

Marty

Don Martin